

City of Manchester
Department of Highways
227 Maple Street, Manchester, New Hampshire

INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids will be received at the office of the Department of Highways of the City of Manchester, New Hampshire before or at **2:00 P.M.**, prevailing time on **Thursday, the 16th of April, 2009**, for the following described services.

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION ACCESSIBILITY CONTRACT 11 - 2009
FY09-500-89

This contract consists of the construction of approximately 400 square yards of cement concrete sidewalk associated with the installation of 70 cast iron tactile warning panels on existing pedestrian ramps.

Certified Check/Bid Bond \$10,000.00

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Department of Highways, and the following locations:

- Dodge Reports, 880 Second Street, Manchester New Hampshire, 03102
- Associated General Contractors of N. H., 48 Grandview Road, Bow, N.H.
- Works in Progress, 20 Farrell Street, Suite 103, So. Burlington, VT 05403
- Reed Construction Data, 225 Wyman Street, Waltham, MA 02451-1209
- Construction Summary of N.H., 734 Chestnut Street, Manchester, N.H.
- F.W. Dodge Company, 24 Hartwell Avenue, Lexington, MA. 02173

Bids must be completed in both words and numerals on regular proposal forms, which shall be submitted in a sealed envelope marked: "Proposal for the **"SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION ACCESSIBILITY CONTRACT 11"**", addressed and delivered to the Department of Highways not later than the date and time mentioned above, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids must be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bid Bond in the amount listed above, payable to: "Department of Highways, City of Manchester, N.H.", as security for the execution of the contract.

A Performance and Payment Bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the contract price, will be required of the successful bidder.

The right is reserved to waive any informalities in or reject any or all Bids and to accept the bid that is deemed most favorable to the interest of the City of Manchester.

A \$5.00 non-refundable mailing fee will be charged for plans mailed to any contractor. Checks should be mailed to Department of Highways, 227 Maple Street, Manchester, N.H. 03103.

Before obtaining plans, specifications and proposal forms, all individuals, firms, partnerships or corporations intending to bid, must be pre-qualified for the project. Pre-qualification forms may be obtained at the Office of the Department of Highways for five dollars (\$5.00) or at no charge from the Purchasing Division page on the City's website at: www.ManchesterNH.gov.

Sealed Pre-qualification Statements will be received at the Office of the Department of Highways until 5:00 PM prevailing time on **Friday, April 3, 2009**.

This project is being funded with U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (DHUD) Federal Community Development Block Grant monies and is subject to the requirements of Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. As such the successful bidder will need to comply with certain conditions pertaining to Davis Bacon Wage Rates, reporting, nondiscrimination, etc., in the fulfillment of the contract to be awarded. The successful bidder shall also comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, codes and ordinances in the performance of this contract. Local firms, minority and women owned businesses where appropriate, shall be given "maximum feasible opportunity" to participate in contracts and subcontracts resulting from this project.

The City of Manchester is an equal opportunity/affirmative action agency. All bidders will be given consideration without regard to race, color, religion, creed, age, marital status, sex or national origin.

Questions may be forwarded to Jay Davini, Public Utilities Coordinator 624-6444 ext.317

Department of Highways, City of Manchester, N.H.

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